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Ahmed Hussain Khan Sahib (South Kanara) - Late Monegar - Third Class Magistrate - Amindivi islands - further punishment - Pape recorded.

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Ahmed Hussain Khan Sahib (South Kanara) Late Monegar, Third class Magistrate, Amindivi Islands- Conduct-Collector's report- Submitted to Government.

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Confdl. Refce. No. 238/31-1.

Station Madras. *Dated the* 15th April 1931. 19

From

A.R.Mac Ewen Esq.,M.C.,I.C.S.,
Secretary,
Land Revenue and
~~The~~ Board of Revenue, ~~Revenue~~ Settlement, ~~etc.~~
~~Separate Revenue.~~

H.A.B. Vernon Esq., C.S.I.,C.I.E.,I.C.S., Commr.of Land Revenue.

~~Resolution~~
Reference.

Read the following paper:-

Letter from G. W. Wells Esq., M.A., I.C.S., Collector of South Kanara, Ref. C. Confdl. 2/31 dated the 31st March 1931.

Reference.

Submitted to Government. in continuation of the correspondence ending in G.O. No.Mis. 1020 (Confdl.) Public, General, dated the 20th August 1930.

A.R.MacEwen
Secretary. 16.4.31.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Dept., withthe Collector's report and its enclosures in original and records as per list.

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Ref.C.Confl.No.2/31. South Kanara Collector's Office,

Mangalore, 31st March 1931.

From

G. W. Wells, Esquire, M.A., I.C.S.,

Collector of South Kanara.

To

The Secretary to the Board,

Land Revenue & Settlement,

Madras.

Sir,

Ahmed Hussain Khan Saheb - late Monegar - III Class Magistrate of the Amenidivi Islands - Further report.

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In his memorial to His Excellency the Governor of Madra disposed of in G.O.No.90 R., dated 5-2-1931, Ahmed Hussain Kha Saheb, the late Monegar of the Amenidivi Islands, complained th some allegations were made against him, based on statements ma behind his back, to prejudice the Board. I had examined some Islanders who made statements accusing him of immoral conduct and corruption on the Islands. These statements did not form part of the charges, but I said in my letter R.O.C.No.4153-30- dated 23-4-1930 to the Board, disposed of in G.O.No.Mis.1020, Confdl., dated 20th August 1930, Public (General) Department, t there were other allegations against him, which owing to the distance of the islands could not be investigated at once.

2. Subsequently, I sent the statements to the Inspectin Officer of the Islands for enquiry. His report dated 26-3-19 shows that he considers certain allegations to be true. I therefore enclose his report with its enclosures for the ----- Board's perusal and information, and for orders whether, in vie of Ahmed Hussain Khan's reduction by Government to a clerical post, any further departmental action is necessary. I am not making this report with the idea that further punishment is necessary in his case. I think personally that Ahmed Hussain Khan has been sufficiently punished. I merely wish to bring

to the Board's notice that the Inspecting Officer by enquiry on the islands has ascertained that there is real substance in the charges which Ahmed Hussain Khan described as made behind his back. The file of statements may be returned, as there is among them a petition for maintenance from the woman Halima, which with the connected papers will be sent to the Sub Divisional Magistrate for disposal.

Your obedient servant,

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Collector.

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Bandarsfeeder

26-3-1931.

From

N. S. Arunachalam, Esquire, M.A., I.C.S.,

Inspecting Officer, Amin Divi Islands

To

The Collector of

South Kanara.

Sir,

Ahmed Hussain Khan Saheb - Ex-Monegar - Amin Divi islands - Conduct - further enquiry - report.

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The Monegar's conduct about which I was asked to hold enquiry roughly divided into four charges.

(i) Relations with two women, Naganiam Halima of Amini and Aisha of Kiltan, which was inconsistent with his position as Monegar. Naganiam Halima is the same as Adiakkilam Halima, to whom he recommended grant of Government trees. This charge, I consider well-founded. Halima and her uncle have been examined. As she is now badly off, I do not recommend resumption of trees granted to her. I have submitted a petition from her against Ahmed Hussain Khan. It may be forwarded to the Monegar, or the Sub Divisional Magistrate, Mangalore, for action under section 488 Cr.P.C., after perusal. A certified copy of the entry in the Amini Birth register relating to the child of Naganiam Halima is also enclosed.

(ii) That he obtained some cocoanut rafters from Kiltan without paying for them. This too, I consider a true charge.

(iii) That he received a necklace from Thekkalapire Yusuf. There is no direct evidence of this, except that of Ali, if it may be considered such. I am disposed to believe this charge.

(iv) That he received a necklace from Kanekal Khadir Koya and two Sovereigns from Eypalli Muhammad. The person concerned in the first transaction is dead, and the enquiry revealed nothing of any evidential value about this charge.

In addition to this, I found that the previous Mone-

gar's disposal of Darkhast petitions, (especially in Kadmat), was very perfunctory and un-satisfactory. Orders were usually passed on the same day and on the petition itself; and though he purported to visit the locality and measure it, it was found he had not - Please see records of R.Dis 53 Isles 31, dated 12-3-31, enclosed;-and the correct plan prepared at Kadmat under my directions. The whole enquiry was so scrappy that nobody knew of the assignment (except the assignee and the Monegar) and the former took ~~charge~~ care not to improve the land till the appeal time was over. This is at least what the Islanders said, and I had to reject a number of such darkhast appeals as being time-barred. I am submitting to you herewith a petition which they presented to me.

The statements received from your are herewith resubmitted, as well as the records of Revenue Case 80/28 and Civil cases 225 and 233 of 1928, 319/28 and 321/28.

Your obedient servant,

V.S. Ramachandra 20/3/31

Inspecting Officer,
Amin Divi Islands.

Enclosures

~~List of statements~~

Confdl. Ref. 238/31-1 dated 15th April 1931. D section.

S.No.	Description of records.	No. of leaves.
1.	Statement dated 14-3-31 recorded by the Inspecting Officer from Nanganiam Halima	1
2.	-do- -do- from Adia Kulama Mohideen Kutty	1
3.	Petition dated 14-3-31 from Nanganiam Halima	1
4.	Extract from the birth register of Amini for 1929	1
5.	Petition from certain residents of Kadmat	2
6.	True sketch prepared of the plot concerned in R.Dis. 53 isles 31 dated 12-3-31.	1
7.	Island R.Dis. file No. 53-31 dated 12-3-31.	Pages 10.
8.	Statement dated 3-3-31 recorded by the Inspecting Officer from Ajjimachitte Kadiri of Chatlat	1
9.	-do- dated 4-3-31- -do- from Pathumatiyodi Ali Mahomed of Chatlat.	1
10.	-do- dated 8-3-31 -do- from Moopana Kadiuade Ata Koya of Kiltan	1
11.	-do- --do- from Aisha of Kiltan.	1
12.	-do- -do- from Parambiode Naina	1
13.	-do- -do- Idokkal Mullam Koya alias Mupatiyode Mullam Koya of Kiltan.	1
14.	-do- -do- fron Nadun Tamkat Abbusala Koya of Kiltan	1
15.	-do- -do- from Belliallam Paria Koya Moopan of Kiltan	1
16.	-do- dated 14-3-31 from Etyapalli Mahomed of Amini	1
17.	Amini Divi Manager's letter F.Dis. 341-30 dated 19-11-30 received with Collector's N.Dis. 12199-30 dated 26-1-31	1
18.	Records of Rev. case No.80/28(Isls)	One file.
19.	Records of Civil case No.210/28 (Isls)	,,
20.	Records of Civil case 225/28 and 233/28 (Isl	,,
21.	Records of Civil case No.319/28 (Isls)	,,
22.	Records of Civil case No.321/28 (Isls)	,,
23.	Copies of statements (1) dated 19-4-30 of Tekkala pure Yeuf (2) dated 23-5-30 of Elyapalli Mahomed, (3) dated 19-4-30 of Kombi Koya (4) dated 19-4-30 of Abdul Latiff (5) dated 19-4-30 of Kunhid Haji (6) dated 20-12-30 of M.Abdul Latiff and (7) dated 20-12-30 of Abdul Rahiman	8 leaves.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Dept.

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Public (General) Department.

Subject:- Amindivi Islands -Ahmed Hussain Khan Sahi late Monegar - Withdrawal of magisterial powers - Further charges.

C.No.2584. From the Board of Revenue, L.R. & S., Ref.No.238/31-1 dated 15-4-1931.

In G.O.No.1020 Public (General), dated 20-8-1

Ahmed Hussain Khan Sahib, late Monegar of the Amindiv Islands was reduced to his previous position as clerk in the Collector's office, South Kanara, for having abused his powers as Monegar and for having sent fals reports against an islander; and his magisterial power were withdrawn. The Collector has now sent the repo of the Inspecting officer, Amindivi Islands on certai other allegations against Ahmed Hussain Khan Sahib, b the Collector considers that any further punishment i unnecessary. The Monegar's magisterial powers have been withdrawn in this department and the question of inflicting any further punishment is for considerati in Revenue to whom the file may be transferred.

UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
REVENUE DEPARTMENT
-1 MAY 1931

Rev Dept

To Undersecretary

Please see the Collector's report at pages 3-4 C.F. and the Public dept note at page 1 above: With reference the last sentence of the Public Dept note ~~tentiss~~ it is submitted that the Collector South Kanara has stated as follows:- page 3 C.F

'I think ~~that~~ personally that Ahmed Hussain Khan has been sufficiently punished'.

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In these circumstances no further punishment is called for. The papers may be recorded. The records may be returned as requested by the Collector

A draft order is submitted

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